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AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR

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SUPPLEMENT

WILLIAM GREEN, President

WASHINGTON, D. C. FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1949

GEORGE HUTTON, Secretary-Treasurer

Be Sure to Buy
CHRISTMAS
SEALS!

Green Given Place In New World Union

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By ARNOLD REICHMAN
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Latin Unions Fight
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Harague, Chile.—Organized labor in Harague, Chile, is fighting repressive actions against the labor union movement.

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AFL Is Dissatisfied By World Food Plan

Washington.—President H. L. Hunt of the National Food Administration of the AFL expressed dissatisfaction with the World Food Plan adopted by the Food and Agriculture Organization.

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Union Label Drive Interests British

Washington.—British trade unionists like the American Federation of Labor's campaign for the use of union labels on union-made goods.

The "Union Label" campaign, which is being carried out by the American Federation of Labor, is being carried out by the American Federation of Labor.

SPARKMAN REVERES KNOW-HOW PROGRAM

(Special Correspondence)
Pittsburgh.—There are many Americans who have been interested in the "Know-How" program of the American Federation of Labor.

The "Know-How" program of the American Federation of Labor is being carried out by the American Federation of Labor.

ENDORSES FUND

Austin, Tex.—The executive board of the American Federation of Labor has endorsed the fund for the American Federation of Labor.

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AFL Seafarers Tell It to Congress

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California Lauds Lundberg Fight Against Commies

San Francisco.—The executive committee of the California State Federation of Labor has lauded the fight of the American Federation of Labor against the Communist Party.

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South Leads Off Gompers Memorial Organizing Drive

New Orleans.—AFL leaders of the southern states led off the 1950 Gompers Memorial Organizing Drive.

The 1950 Gompers Memorial Organizing Drive is being carried out by the American Federation of Labor.

75-Cent Wage Paid Ahead of Schedule

New York.—Some employers have already increased wages in the 75-cent range, ahead of the schedule.

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SAMUEL GOMPERS

Born January 25, 1850 Died December 13, 1924
President American Federation of Labor 1881-1924

LLPE Urges Plans For Registration Drive For 1950

Washington.—It's time to start planning registration campaigns for the 1950 congressional elections.

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Insurance Crowd Lines Up Against U. S. Health Plan

Washington.—AFL officials have brought to light a "deal" between the insurance industry and the U. S. health plan.

The insurance industry is fighting against the U. S. health plan.

Pennsylvania Faces Hardest Campaign

Harrisburg, Pa.—James L. McDermott, AFL representative in Pennsylvania, is facing the hardest campaign in the state.

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California LLPE Sets Spring Meet

San Francisco.—The California LLPE is setting a spring meeting for the American Federation of Labor.

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Maine Head Urges Strong State LLPE

Winthrop, Me.—President Ben D. Jones of the Maine Federation of Labor is urging a strong state LLPE.

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GOMPERS SOLICITATION UNAUTHORIZED BY AFL

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